comprising:

(Twice Amended) An image reproduction control apparatus,

an accessing unit that accesses a recording medium, the recording medium storing a plurality of reproducible images and a reproduction instruction file containing a plurality of file names specifying images to be reproduced, the reproduction instruction file being separate from the plurality of images;

a reading section that reads the reproduction instruction file stored in the recording medium; and

a reproduction control section that controls reproduction of the reproducible images by reading the images specified by the reproduction instruction file read by said reading section,

wherein reproduction is not performed for a particular image specified by the reproduction instruction file if the particular image to be reproduced is not recorded in the recording medium,

wherein, when reproduction is not performed for the particular image, information relating to the particular image is stored in a memory, and

wherein if a next reproducible image is specified by the reproduction instruction file and said reproduction control section determines that the next reproducible image is recorded in the recording medium, the next reproducible image is reproduced.

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81. (Unamended) The image reproduction control apparatus of Claim 80, further comprising a print unit for printing images reproduced by said reproduction control section.

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62. (Amended) The image reproduction control apparatus of Claim 80, further comprising a display for displaying information relating to the particular image for which reproduction is not performed.

- 83. (Unamended) The image reproduction control apparatus of Claim 80, further comprising a display adapted and configured to display one of the images to be reproduced and the file name of the images to be reproduced specified by the reproduction instruction file, so as to allow a user to confirm the image to be reproduced specified by the reproduction instruction file.
- 84. (Unamended) The image reproduction control apparatus of Claim 83, wherein said display displays the images to be reproduced specified by the reproduction instruction file.
- 85. (Unamended) The image reproduction control apparatus of Claim 83, wherein said display displays the file names of the images to be reproduced specified by the reproduction instruction file.

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(Twice Amended) A method of controlling image reproduction, the method comprising:

providing an accessing unit that accesses a recording medium, the recording medium storing a plurality of reproducible images and a reproduction instruction file

containing a plurality of file names specifying images to be reproduced, the reproduction instruction file being separate from the plurality of images;

reading the reproduction instruction file stored in the recording medium; and controlling reproduction of the reproducible images by reading the images specified by the reproduction instruction file in said reading step,

wherein reproduction is not performed for a particular image specified by the reproduction instruction file if the particular image to be reproduced is not recorded in the recording medium,

wherein, when reproduction is not performed for the particular image, information relating to the particular image is stored in a memory, and

wherein if a next reproducible image is specified by the reproduction instruction file and said reproduction controlling step determines that the next reproducible image is recorded in the recording medium, the next reproducible image is reproduced.

87. (Twice Amended) A computer-readable storage medium storing a program for executing a method of controlling image reproduction, wherein the method comprises:

providing an accessing unit that accesses a recording medium, the recording medium storing a plurality of reproducible images and a reproduction instruction file containing a plurality of file names specifying images to be reproduced, the reproduction instruction file being separate from the plurality of images;

reading the reproduction instruction file stored in the recording medium; and

controlling reproduction of the reproducible images by reading the images specified by the reproduction instruction file in said reading step,

wherein reproduction is not performed for a particular image specified by the reproduction instruction file if the particular image to be reproduced is not recorded in the recording medium,

wherein, when reproduction is not performed for the particular image, information relating to the particular image is stored in a memory, and

wherein if a next reproducible image is specified by the reproduction instruction file and said reproduction controlling step determines that the next reproducible image is recorded in the recording medium, the next reproducible image is reproduced.

88. (Three Times Amended) A recording control apparatus for controlling recording of images in a recording medium, the apparatus including a recording medium accessing unit that can access the recording medium, the recording medium storing a plurality of reproducible images and a reproduction instruction file containing instruction information including a plurality of file names specifying images to be reproduced, the reproduction instruction file being separate from the plurality of images, the apparatus comprising

an indication section for indicating deletion of an image accessed by said accessing unit; and

a control section for controlling deletion of the instruction information in the reproduction instruction file corresponding to the image indicated by said indication



section to be deleted if the instruction information corresponding to the image is stored in the reproduction instruction file,

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wherein said recording medium accessing unit accesses the recording medium in accordance with a manual operation, the recording medium being accessed so as to specify an image to be reproduced.

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- 89. (Unamended) The recording control apparatus of Claim 88, wherein said recording medium is a detachable memory.
- 90. (Unamended) The recording control apparatus of Claim 88, wherein the reproduction instruction file is recorded in the same recording medium as the plurality of reproducible images.
- 91. (Unamended) The recording control apparatus of Claim 88, further comprising a sensing unit and an image display unit to display the particular reproducible image to be deleted.

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92. (Twice Amended) A method of controlling recording of images in a recording medium, the method comprising:

providing a recording medium accessing unit that can access the recording medium, the recording medium storing a plurality of reproducible images and a reproduction instruction file containing instruction information including a plurality of file

names specifying images to be reproduced, the reproduction instruction file being separate from the plurality of images;

an indication step of indicating deletion of an image accessed by the accessing unit; and

a control step of controlling deletion of the instruction information in the reproduction instruction file corresponding to the image indicated in said indication step to be deleted if instruction information corresponding to the image is stored in the reproduction instruction file,

wherein the recording medium accessing unit accesses the recording medium in accordance with a manual operation, the recording medium being accessed so as to specify an image to be reproduced.

93. (Twice Amended) A computer-readable storage medium storing a program for executing a method of controlling recording of images in a recording medium, wherein the method comprises:

providing a recording medium accessing unit that can access the recording medium, the recording medium storing a plurality of reproducible images and a reproduction instruction file containing instruction information including a plurality of file names specifying images to be reproduced, the reproduction instruction file being separate from the plurality of images;

an indication step of indicating deletion of an image accessed by the accessing unit; and